Used in Lieu of PTO/SB/08A/B (Based on PTO 12-07 version)

Sul	Substitute for form 1449/PTO			Complete if Known		
				Application Number	10/588,606-Conf. #8367	
11	NFORMATION	N DISC	CLOSURE	Filing Date	August 7, 2006	
S	TATEMENT I	BY AF	PLICANT	First Named Inventor	Tooru YUKIMOTO	
ĺ				Art Unit	3744	
	(Use as many sheets as necessary)			Examiner Name	M. M. Ali	
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	5173-0102PUS1	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Document Number Number-Kind Code <sup>2</sup> ( if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear

		FORE	IGN PATENT	DOCUMENTS		
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	
		Country Code <sup>3</sup> -Number <sup>4</sup> -Kind Code <sup>5</sup> (if known)				
	BA	JP-6-221725-A	08-12-1994			Abs
	ВВ	JP-62-266369-A	11-19-1987			Part. trans
	вс	JP-60-96871-A	05-30-1985			Part. trans
	BD	JP-6-101938-A -	04-12-1994			Abs

Examiner	The state of the s
The state of the s	Date
Signature	Considered

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at <a href="https://www.uspto.gov">www.uspto.gov</a> or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Nind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T²	

Examiner	Mahammad AU/ /10/00/0000	Date	10/00/0000
Signature	/Mohammad Ali/ (10/22/2008)	l Duite	10/22/2008
Signature		Considered	

<sup>\*</sup>EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). <sup>2</sup>Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.